

## TRIGG CREDITORS TO BE PAID IN FULL

Victory Won in Supreme Court,  
Which Upholds Their  
Contentions.

### SUPPLY LIENS PARAMOUNT

What Effect Will Be on Claims  
of General Creditors Not  
Yet Known.

Washington, D. C., November 29.—Decrees were signed today in the Supreme Court of the United States upholding the contention of the government that its claim on the dredge Benyuard was paramount to the claim of general creditors of the William R. Trigg Company, of Richmond, but holding the supply liens on the revenue cutter Mohawk and the cruiser Gatton were paramount to the claim of the government.

The William R. Trigg Company, a shipbuilding concern, became embarrassed financially in 1902. At the time the company was building three vessels for the government, the Benyuard a dredge; the Mohawk, a revenue cutter; and the Gatton, a cruiser. In the contract for the construction of the Benyuard it was stipulated that as payments were made from time to time, the parts paid for should become thereby the sole property of the United States, and in the contracts for the construction of the other vessels a lien thereon and upon materials on hand for use in their construction was reserved to the United States for all monies advanced on account. Upon the appointment of a receiver for the company, the receiver took possession of the boats, but later released them under a stipulation with the government, which completed their construction.

The receiver received claims to these vessels from general creditors of the constructing company. The Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia finally held that as to the Benyuard, the parties to the contract did not intend the

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dredge to become the property of the government as its building progressed and parts payments were made, and therefore, the title being in the Trigg Company, that the dredge was subject to the demands of the general creditors. This holding the Supreme Court of the United States reversed. As to the Mohawk and Gatton, the court held that the supply liens were superior to those asserted by the government under the construction contract. This part of the decree of the Virginia court the Supreme Court affirmed.

**Few Creditors in Richmond.**  
Supply lien creditors of the William R. Trigg Company will be paid in full as the result of this decision, according to J. Jordan Leake, counsel for the receivers. Mr. Leake said last night that the money to be received from the United States government for the construction of the Mohawk and the Gatton, which must now be paid, will be sufficient to meet all the demands of the supply lien creditors, including those who furnished material for the Benyuard.

"Some of these creditors are Richmond people," says Mr. Leake. "Others live in other places in Virginia, but the majority, I should say 70 per cent., are outside the State. Any one who furnished any supplies or material to the Trigg Company should have his claim discharged in full."

"However, I am unable to say what the effect of the decision will be as to the general creditors. This I cannot determine until I see a copy of the decision, of which only an extract is at present given. It is possible that these creditors may realize something of their claims as the result."

Among the attorneys who argued the case before the Supreme Court were Eppa Hunton, Jr., and E. Randolph Williams, of the law firm of Munford, Hunton, Williams & Anderson, counsel for the bondholders' committee of the William R. Trigg Company. These bondholders are the largest general creditors, but the supply creditors have a prior lien.

## STATES' CHIEFS IN CONFERENCE

Twenty-Four Governors Get  
Together in Frankfort  
Meeting.

Frankfort, Ky., November 29.—The third annual conference of Governors, the first to be held outside of Washington, began a five days' session here today with twenty-four of the executives of the States present. Heads of Commonwealths from almost the extremes of the nation were brought together in one body to derive benefits from the experiences of each other.

For several days Governor Willson, of Kentucky, has made it plain that he would do all in his power to eliminate politics from the conference, and in the preliminary arrangements he has done it. However, at the first session today, held in the Hall of Representatives of the new State Capitol Building, there were two outbursts of political enthusiasm. One was when Governor Judson Harmon, of Ohio, entered the hall. He was greeted by slight handclapping, which was accorded no other Governor.

The moment the meeting adjourned a man in the gallery called for cheers for Mr. Harmon. With a frown Governor Willson raised his hand and stopped whatever progress the suggestion might have made. He said such a demonstration was entirely out of place and would not be tolerated.

**Letter From Taft.**  
Governor Willson read a letter from President Taft regretting his absence, in which he said:

"I have great sympathy with the objects of your meeting, which I understand to be for the general national welfare by uniformity of State legislation upon subjects having general national interest, which are not by the Constitution entrusted to Congress and to the central government. I wish for your meeting the most successful issue in substantial results."

Governor A. J. Pothier, of Rhode Island, responded to the welcoming addresses of Governor Willson and Mayor Polsgrove, of Frankfort, after which the visiting party and several prominent Kentuckians were entertained at luncheon. At the late session Governor Eliot Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, delivered an address on "The Possibilities of the Governors' Conference."

To-night Governor and Mrs. Willson gave a reception at the Governor's Mansion.

To-morrow morning a special train will carry the Governors to Louisville, where sessions will be held until Saturday. Among the Governors present are Weeks, Connecticut; Mann, Virginia; Pothier, Rhode Island; Woodrow Wilson, New Jersey; O'Neal, Alabama; Cruce, Oklahoma; and Plaisted, of Maine.

### VIOLATED LABOR LAW

R. C. Williams, of Williams Printing Company, Pleads Guilty.  
R. C. Williams, manager of the Williams Printing Company, was fined \$5 in Police Court yesterday morning on a charge of violating the State labor law by allowing female operatives and children to work more than ten hours in any one day of twenty-four hours.

Mr. Williams pleaded not guilty, but later changed his plea to guilty, and the minimum fine was imposed. The warrant for his arrest was sworn out by J. B. Clinedinst, an inspector of the Labor Bureau.

## Altitude Record Fails to Stand



J. ARMSTRONG DREXEL.

New York, November 29.—Clifford B. Harmon, president of the National Council of the Aero Club of America, announced yesterday that the altitude record of 9,570 feet claimed by J. Armstrong Drexel at Point Breeze Park, Philadelphia, last Wednesday, would not be accepted. Mr. Drexel's bar-

ograph was examined officially yesterday by Snyder Brothers and found to register 9,450 feet. The world's record therefore still stands at 27,174 feet, made at the International meet in Belmont Park by Ralph Johnstone, who fell to death in Denver two weeks ago.

## News of Petersburg

Times-Dispatch Bureau,  
109 North Sycamore Street,  
Petersburg, Va., November 29.

A little eight-year-old girl named Annie Mason, daughter of colored parents, living in Waverly, died last night in the agonies of hydrophobia. She was attacked and bitten by a dog on the 5th of August. It was not until Sunday last that symptoms of hydrophobia developed. The attack increased until death resulted.

### No Rule Issued.

Judge J. P. West, of Waverly, sitting in the Hustings Court of this city, in the chancery cause against Eli Tartie and others of the Harrison Street (colored) Baptist Church, heard argument on a petition presented by Smith, Moncre and Gordon, of Richmond, counsel for the plaintiffs, asking for a rule against the Rev. Eli Tartie, pulpit supply of the church, to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt for violating the decree of the court, entered in July last.

This decree restrained Tartie from exercising the functions of pastor of the church other than as pulpit supply. It was alleged that he had violated this decree, and affidavits were filed in support of the charge.

Counsel for the defendants made answer to the charges and also filed affidavits. The court after hearing argument declined to issue the rule asked for. The court, however, stated that Tartie's relations as pulpit supply would not be allowed to continue indefinitely. A commissioner, Joseph B. Prince, a lawyer of this city, was recently appointed to secure a corrected roll of membership of the church and it was expected that this information should be placed before him without unnecessary delay, that his report might be filed at an early day, and the case be heard on its merits.

### Expected to Accept.

Though nothing definite may be heard for some days from the Rev. Penbrooke Reed, of St. Paul's Church, Berkeley, confidence is felt here that he will accept the call to the restoration of the church.

## SILENTLY SUFFERED UNTOLD AGONIES

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ship of St. John's Episcopal Church in this city, extended him by unanimous vote of the vestry, approved by the congregation. Mr. Reed has the call under consideration. St. John's Church offers a splendid field for the work of an active, consecrated minister. Starting some years ago as a small and modest mission, it has grown to the dignity of a self-sustaining church, with a rapidly increasing congregation and a large and flourishing Sunday school.

### Colonel Field Better.

Colonel E. M. Field, who sustained a fracture of his right hip by a fall last night on High Street, is resting comfortably to-day. However, under the most favorable circumstances, he will be confined to his home for some time. Colonel Field is vice-president of the Mahone Brigade Association, which it to meet for reorganization to-morrow afternoon.

### Wedding Notes.

Miss Margaret A. Hatchett and Archie C. Bousseau, both of this city and employees of the Petersburg Telephone Company, left this morning for Halifax, N. C., to be married.

I. V. Parham, a popular young merchant of this city, left this morning for Lynchburg, where to-morrow evening at 6 o'clock, in the home of the bride, he will be married to Miss Lucille Aston Loyd. Many friends were at the depot to see him depart. He was accompanied to the Hill City by several intimate friends, who will be his attendants at the wedding—B. M. Hill, J. B. Spotswood, Harold Minette, S. M. Green, Jr., Dr. Wallace W. Gill and his brothers, Robert and Houston Parham.

This afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents on Franklin Street, Miss Lillian Alice Adkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Adkins, of Richmond, was married to Alvin S. Outland, of Richmond, by the Rev. W. C. Taylor, D. D., officiating. The wedding was a very pretty home event. Miss Mamie Watkins, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and L. W. Parham, of Richmond, was best man. Many friends were present to witness the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Outland left for the North on their wedding trip.

**Meeting of Executive Committee.**  
A meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Missions of the Virginia Conference will be held in Norfolk at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning. The Rev. George E. Booker, D. D., pastor of Washington Street Church, of Richmond, was a member of this committee, will attend.

At a meeting of the official board of Washington Street Church last night Dr. Booker's salary was increased \$500 per annum, making the full salary \$2,500. In addition, he is furnished with a fine parsonage free.

**Personal and Otherwise.**  
M. P. Aldridge, a member of the police corps, was operated on for appendicitis on Sunday.

The girls of St. Joseph's Academy, in this city, have organized a sewing circle, a meeting to be held every Friday. The funds of the society will be devoted to the Christmas Stocking Club for the benefit of the poor.

The artfully danced given by the Riverside Club came off to-night, the festivities being kept up until midnight. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roper and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jolly.

Mrs. Sarah J. Dexter, aged sixty-one years, died at an early hour this morning at her residence on Shepard Street, after an illness of several months. She was twice married, and is survived by a number of children.

Charles W. Brockwell, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy T. Brockwell, died

at the age of 25.

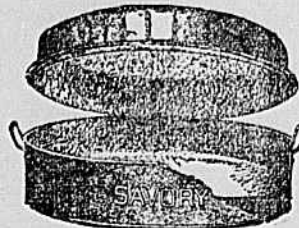
**Lee County Votes**  
\$364,000 for Roads

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
Petersburg, Va., November 29.—Lee county, Va., by a majority of 1,000, to-day voted to issue at once \$364,000 bonds for road improvement. The adjoining county of Wise voted last week overwhelmingly to issue \$700,000 similar bonds at once, and the second adjoining county of Scott will vote next week on \$500,000, and the proposition will undoubtedly carry.

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## LOAN OF \$50,000,000 MAY NOT GO THROUGH

China Reported to Be Dissatisfied With Proposal  
to Accept a Foreign Financial Adviser.  
Syndicate Denies Hitch.

Peking, November 29.—Serious doubt that the projected loan of \$50,000,000 to China by an American financial syndicate, will be finally concluded, is expressed in Peking. Numerous difficulties have arisen since the syndicate, consisting of J. P. Morgan & Company, Kuhn, Loeb & Company, the National City Bank and the First National Bank, all of New York City.

On November 10 an agreement was signed in London by which English, German and French banks were made to participate in the loan. The banking houses concerned were the Morgan houses, the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Company, the Bank of India, China and the Deutsch East Asiatic Bank. The agreement provided for the cooperation of the signatories in the matter of future loans to the Chinese government and mutual participation therein.

The Chinese have never been more sensitive to foreign usurpation of authority than they are now, and they look upon the proposition to give the foreign financial group control of the currency reform to which the loan was to be devoted as a further encroachment upon their integrity, of which the new Senate and the parliamentary party throughout the country is especially jealous.

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Court adjourned until this morning at 11 o'clock.

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**Denies Any Hitch.**  
New York, November 29.—A leading representative of the American banking syndicate denied that any hitch had occurred in the Chinese loan. The appointment of a foreign financial adviser had been clearly stipulated in the preliminary negotiation. Willard Straight, representative in China of the American bankers, was in Peking to-day, and in cables to his principals here, gave no intimation of any dissatisfaction on the part of the Chinese government.

The program for to-day will be as follows:  
1 P. M.—Devotional half-hour, "The Teachers' Union," Dr. D. M. Ramsay.  
4:30 P. M.—"Story Work," Miss Williams.

6:15 P. M.—"Departmental Teaching" (continued), Mr. Leavell.  
6 P. M.—Luncheon.  
7 P. M.—Conferences on primary work, with demonstration.  
7 P. M.—Conference on officer and teacher training.

7:30 P. M.—"B. Y. P. U. Officers," Mr. Leavell.  
8 P. M.—"Israel's Decline and Restoration," Dr. Cullom.  
8:45 P. M.—"Organizing the School," Mr. Flake.

The various prayer meetings have been called off to-night in order to enable the workers and friends to attend the training school.

The enrollment promises to be the largest in the history of Sunday school work in the South.

**U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.**  
The United States Circuit Court of Appeals reconvened yesterday morning at 11 o'clock with Circuit Judges Goff and Pritchard and District Judges Boyd and Rose in attendance.

C. F. Haynsworth, of Greenville, S. C., was admitted to practice in this court.

The following cases were argued:  
No. 88—R. Grayson Jones, alleged bankrupt, appellant, vs. Aug. Wright Company et al., appellees, on appeal from the District Court at Richmond. In bankruptcy. Continued from yesterday. Cause further

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